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SUBJECT: TDY OPIC OFFICER, BURTON L. BOSTWICK

- 1. OPIC INVESTMENT OFFICER, BURTON L. BOSTWICK, PLANS VISIT ISRAEL JULY 26 30, AND JORDAN JULY 30 AUGUST 3. REQUEST EMBASSIES CONCURRENCES VISIT AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR TRANSPORT TEL AVIV AMMAN VIA ALLENBY BRIDGE ON JULY 30.
- 2. FOR TEL AVIV: SCHEDULED ETA 1605 ON JULY 26 ON TWA 806. PRIMARY PURPOSE ISRAEL VISIT TO MEET ELECTROCHEMICAL INDUSTRIES (FRUTAROM) OFFICIALS AT ACRE. OPIC PRESENTLY CONSIDERING LOAN AND/OR LOAN GUARANTY TO COMPANY AND REQUIRES ADDITIONAL INFORMATION BEFORE PRESENTATION TO OPIC BOARD. WILL NOTIFY COMPANY OF PLANS BEFORE DEPARTURE. SUBJECT AVAILABILITY OF KOSLOFF AND OTHER APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS

BOSTWICK PLANS VISIT ELECTROCHEMICAL JULY 27-28 AND BE AVAILABLE FOR OTHER MEETINGS WITH BUSINESSMEN AND OFFICIALS AS EMBASSY DEEMS APPROPRIATE EVENING JULY 28 THROUGH DEPART-UNCLASSIFIED

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URE JULY 30. NO MEETING SOUGHT OR DESIRED WITH FIRST

INTERNATIONAL BANK OF ISRAEL. TRAVEL TO ACRE BY RENTAL CAR AUTHORIZED. REQUEST HOTEL RESERVATIONS TEL AVIV FOR EVENINGS JULY 26, 28 AND 29; AND HAIFA FOR 27TH.

3. FOR AMMAN: BOSTWICK DESIRES TO MEET WITH OFFICIALS OF JORDAN TRANNING COMPANY TO DISCUSS WOLVERINE SHOE PROJECT; OFFICIALS OF ARAB POTASH COMPANY RE STATUS OF GREAT LAKES CHEMICAL BROMME PROJECT; EMBASSY OFFICIALS ON STATUS OF AGRICO PROJECT; AND APPROPRIATE GOJ OFFICIALS FOR PROCEDURES/LIMITATIONS ON REGISTRATION OF FOREIGN LOANS.

REQUEST EMBASSY ATTEMPT TO MAKE ABOVE APPOINTMENTS PLUS OTHRS DEEMED APPROPRIATE (BOSTWICK EXPECTS TO UTILIZE SATURDAY AND SUNDAY FOR MEETINGS AS AVAILABLE) AND HOTEL RESERVATIONS IN AMMAN FOR EVENINGS JULY 30 - AUGUST 2. DEPARTING AUGUST 3 AT 2030 ON RJ 190 FOR KARACHI. KISSINGER

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